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Table 1: Economy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	4 168	3 556	3 612	3 236	3 338
Unemployment rate	%	6.0	5.1	5.0	4.4	4.5
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	12 636	13 058	13 568	13 317	-
Taxable individuals	no.	59 098	60 557	61 604	62 901	-
Taxable income	$m	2 249.9	2 395.6	2 548.9	2 707.3	-
Average taxable income	$	38 071	39 559	41 376	43 040	-
Net tax	$m	527.7	576.5	611.6	648.5	-
Average net tax	$	8 930	9 520	9 929	10 310	-
Average net tax ratio	%	23.5	24.1	24.0	24.0	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	54 173	55 160	56 012	56 706	-
Wage and salary income	$m	1 936.8	2 053.0	2 173.5	2 303.5	-
Total income	$m	2 035.1	2 150.4	2 273.4	2 400.7	-
Average wage and salary income	$	35 752	37 219	38 804	40 621	-
Average total income	$	37 567	38 984	40 588	42 337	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	4 497	4 603	4 714	4 637	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	7 516	7 442	7 412	7 292	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	7 232	7 324	7 369	7 465	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	5 785	5 901	6 034	6 124	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	3 481	3 722	3 894	4 130	-
Males - Total	no.	28 511	28 992	29 423	29 648	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	4 515	4 523	4 531	4 550	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	7 029	6 996	6 986	6 876	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	6 256	6 428	6 423	6 611	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	5 444	5 560	5 738	5 887	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	2 418	2 662	2 910	3 134	-
Females - Total	no.	25 662	26 169	26 588	27 058	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	9 012	9 126	9 245	9 187	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	14 545	14 438	14 398	14 168	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	13 488	13 752	13 792	14 076	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	11 229	11 461	11 772	12 011	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	5 899	6 384	6 804	7 264	-
Persons - Total	no.	54 173	55 161	56 011	56 706	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	6 102	5 862	6 168	-
Professionals	no.	-	10 102	10 158	10 451	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	3 718	3 762	3 858	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	5 848	5 657	5 560	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	1 985	1 857	1 831	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	10 012	9 970	10 191	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	3 589	3 577	3 469	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	5 218	5 187	5 158	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	4 934	4 812	4 903	-
Not Stated	no.	-	5 232	5 171	5 119	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	56 740	56 013	56 708	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	3 634	3 543	3 350	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	96.4	98.6	97.3	-	-
Total income	$m	107.0	108.7	106.3	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	26 536	27 843	29 048	-	-
Average total income	$	29 437	30 688	31 731	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	1 546	1 532	1 525	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	30.0	30.8	32.8	-	-
Total income	$m	35.4	35.9	37.4	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	19 404	20 128	21 536	-	-
Average total income	$	22 866	23 419	24 497	-	-
Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	5 180	5 075	4 875	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	126.4	129.5	130.2	-	-
Total income	$m	142.3	144.6	143.7	-	-

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Average own unincorporated business income	$	24 407	25 514	26 698	-	-
Average total income	$	27 476	28 494	29 468	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	8 088	7 893	7 494	7 623
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	2 787	3 204	3 708	3 768
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	2 238	2 430	2 589	2 598
Total businesses	no.	-	13 113	13 527	13 791	13 989
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	1 620	1 467	1 425
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	591	714	666
Total business entries	no.	-	-	2 211	2 181	2 091
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	1 854	1 878	1 386
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	108	132	507
Total business exits	no.	-	-	1 962	2 010	1 893
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	147	168	201	198
Mining	no.	-	9	12	15	18
Manufacturing	no.	-	1 689	1 740	1 755	1 722
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	12	18	18	15
Construction	no.	-	2 277	2 334	2 316	2 343
Wholesale trade	no.	-	1 026	1 074	1 167	1 143
Retail trade	no.	-	1 704	1 710	1 713	1 707
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	186	195	204	201
Transport and storage	no.	-	810	822	834	858
Communication services	no.	-	174	204	195	180
Finance and insurance	no.	-	816	819	813	870
Property and business services	no.	-	3 123	3 282	3 387	3 525
Education	no.	-	84	78	99	111
Health and community services	no.	-	441	441	438	459
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	219	231	240	228
Personal and other services	no.	-	396	399	396	411
Total businesses	no.	-	13 113	13 527	13 791	13 989

* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year

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Table 2: Population/People

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	3 963	3 954	4 029	4 121	4 318
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	4 254	4 276	4 184	4 114	4 055
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	4 099	4 107	4 186	4 241	4 307
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	4 181	4 265	4 310	4 384	4 387
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	4 344	4 400	4 493	4 484	4 556
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	4 870	4 772	4 620	4 596	4 646
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	5 529	5 671	5 687	5 536	5 345
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	5 196	5 162	5 254	5 391	5 622
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	5 208	5 297	5 303	5 274	5 271
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	4 665	4 762	4 857	5 000	5 050
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	4 324	4 334	4 362	4 342	4 439
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	3 739	3 924	4 030	4 164	4 238
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	3 100	3 109	3 174	3 218	3 319
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	2 518	2 575	2 599	2 677	2 711
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	2 308	2 275	2 283	2 258	2 209
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1 935	1 948	1 947	1 955	1 962
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	1 217	1 297	1 378	1 402	1 424
Males - 85 years and over	no.	718	760	784	856	923
Males - Total	no.	66 168	66 888	67 480	68 013	68 782
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	3 954	3 988	4 024	4 047	4 125
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	3 894	3 841	3 827	3 845	3 852
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	3 984	3 976	3 945	3 902	3 865
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	4 015	4 036	4 032	4 044	4 092
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	4 148	4 210	4 251	4 294	4 290
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	4 858	4 750	4 592	4 455	4 466
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	5 650	5 657	5 664	5 601	5 429
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	5 246	5 349	5 434	5 566	5 744
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	5 188	5 269	5 292	5 274	5 340
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	4 677	4 702	4 804	4 956	5 047
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	4 569	4 544	4 549	4 574	4 601
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	3 975	4 189	4 300	4 364	4 502
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	3 167	3 201	3 290	3 435	3 550
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	2 834	2 902	2 931	2 934	2 935
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	2 860	2 768	2 717	2 645	2 624
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	2 632	2 601	2 612	2 647	2 620
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	1 957	2 065	2 141	2 160	2 106
Females - 85 years and over	no.	1 672	1 732	1 820	1 905	2 008
Females - Total	no.	69 280	69 780	70 225	70 648	71 196
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	7 917	7 942	8 053	8 168	8 443
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	8 148	8 117	8 011	7 959	7 907
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	8 083	8 083	8 131	8 143	8 172
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	8 196	8 301	8 342	8 428	8 479
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	8 492	8 610	8 744	8 778	8 846
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	9 728	9 522	9 212	9 051	9 112
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	11 179	11 328	11 351	11 137	10 774
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	10 442	10 511	10 688	10 957	11 366
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	10 396	10 566	10 595	10 548	10 611
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	9 342	9 464	9 661	9 956	10 097
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	8 893	8 878	8 911	8 916	9 040
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	7 714	8 113	8 330	8 528	8 740
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	6 267	6 310	6 464	6 653	6 869
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	5 352	5 477	5 530	5 611	5 646
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	5 168	5 043	5 000	4 903	4 833
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	4 567	4 549	4 559	4 602	4 582
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	3 174	3 362	3 519	3 562	3 530
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	2 390	2 492	2 604	2 761	2 931
Persons - Total	no.	135 448	136 668	137 705	138 661	139 978
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June						
Population density	persons/km^2	-	-	-	-	1 533.0
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006						
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-	-	-	2.3
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-	-	-	7.4
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-	-	-	7.1
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-	-	-	1.5
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	3.8
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	1.7
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-	-	-	3.9
Born in Americas	%	-	-	-	-	1.0
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-	-	-	1.5

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Total born overseas	%	-	-	-	-	30.1
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	24.0
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	2.2
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	1.7
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	12.3
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	8.3
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	16.0
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	12.7
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	53.4
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	12.5
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	20.0
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	14.8
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	7.9
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	17.1
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	11.0
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	6.3
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	8.4
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	2.0
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	13 636
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	1 508
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	35 567
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	50 711
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	13 745
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	3 498
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	12 896
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	3 260
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	2 163
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	585
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	36 147
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	110 255
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	14 203
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	76 183
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	31 994
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	16.6
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	20.5
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	7.5
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	1.0
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	11.0
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	43.6
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	19.5
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	0.6
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	63.8
BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	1 706	1 693	1 739	1 705	1 805
Total fertility rate	rate	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7
Deaths	no.	1 131	1 073	1 068	1 087	1 049

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Standardised death rate	rate	6.6	6.5	6.4	6.1	6.0
REPORTED CRIME OFFENCES - Year ended 30 June						
Number of Offences						
Offences against the person	no.	-	936	784	973	886
Offences against property	no.	-	8 840	8 402	7 305	7 095
Drug offences	no.	-	243	279	237	226
Other offences	no.	-	1 351	817	937	800
All offences	no.	-	11 370	10 282	9 452	9 007
Rate per 100,000 population						
Offences against the person	rate	-	691	576	712	648
Offences against property	rate	-	6 526	6 178	5 344	5 188
Drug offences	rate	-	179	205	173	165
Other offences	rate	-	997	601	686	585
All offences	rate	-	8 394	7 560	6 915	6 586
LIFE EXPECTANCY AT BIRTH - year ended 31 December						
Males	years	-	78.7	79.0	79.2	-
Females	years	-	82.9	83.0	83.1	-

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Table 3: Industry

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	884	750	662	400	451
Total dwelling units	no.	1 109	875	904	610	664
Value of total residential building	$m	210.3	192.1	212.8	157.0	160.9
Value of total non-residential building	$m	96.7	103.7	94.7	164.4	120.7
Value of total building	$m	307.0	295.8	307.5	321.4	281.7
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	3 685	3 714	3 714	3 708	3 573
Other vehicles	no.	1 616	1 797	2 110	2 313	2 107
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	5 300	5 512	5 825	6 020	5 680
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	76 700	78 830	79 935	81 471	82 008
Campervans	no.	157	161	152	160	163
Light commercial vehicles	no.	8 750	9 020	9 272	9 510	9 827
Light rigid trucks	no.	443	454	540	585	640
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	1 456	1 398	1 377	1 368	1 476
Articulated trucks	no.	201	194	176	174	167
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	64	44	46	46	44
Buses	no.	340	355	335	336	352
Motorcycles	no.	2 003	2 026	2 121	2 190	2 276
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	90 115	92 481	93 953	95 842	96 952
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	566	577	580	588	586
Campervans	no.	1	1	1	1	1
Light commercial vehicles	no.	65	66	67	69	70
Light rigid trucks	no.	3	3	4	4	5
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	11	10	10	10	11
Articulated trucks	no.	1	1	1	1	1
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	0	0	0	0	0
Buses	no.	3	3	2	2	3
Motorcycles	no.	15	15	15	16	16
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	665	677	682	691	693
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	16 857	14 306	11 816	9 580	7 775
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	64 800	69 649	73 540	77 473	79 878
Diesel	no.	3 756	3 910	4 177	4 545	5 084
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	4 702	4 616	4 420	4 245	4 217
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	846.9
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	50.1
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	0.0
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	0
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	0
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	297
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	0
ROAD TRAFFIC FATALITIES AND MAJOR INJURIES - year ended 31 December						
Road traffic major injuries	no.	55	39	54	-	-
Road traffic injuries	no.	-	-	-	732	556

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Table 4: Environment/Energy

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LAND AREA						
Land area	km^2	-	-	-	-	91.3

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